

**PACIFIC
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ZONE**



Hawaii Dual Use Task Force Meeting #1

16 Dec 2021



Agenda

- Housekeeping
- Opening remarks, Senator Misalucha
- Hawaii Dual Use background, Kevin Miyashiro
- Dual Use Task Force, Kevin Miyashiro
- Wrap





Housekeeping

- This event is subject to Sunshine Law (Margaret)
- This event will be recorded
- Please mute microphones unless actively speaking





Task Force Composition

- **DBEDT**
 - Dennis Ling, John Greene
- **Pacific Impact Zone**
 - Bernice Glenn, Kevin Miyashiro, Keith Matsumoto, Ian Kitajima
- **University of Hawaii**
 - Vassilis Syrmos
- **HTDC**
 - Len Higashi
- **Dept. of Labor**
 - Jarret Yip

- **Chamber of Commerce**
 - Jason Chung (pending)
- **Economic Development Alliance of Hawaii**
 - Susan Tai-Kaneko (pending)



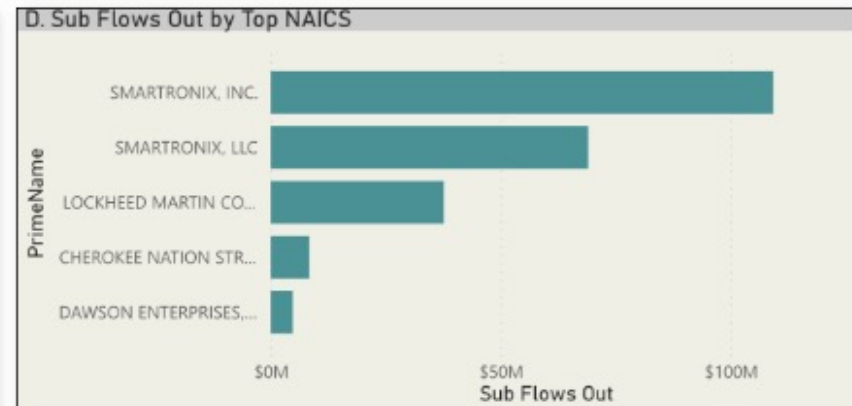
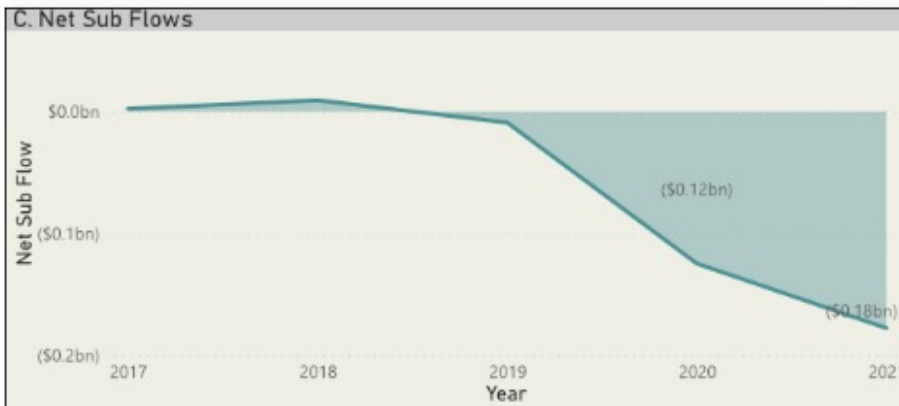
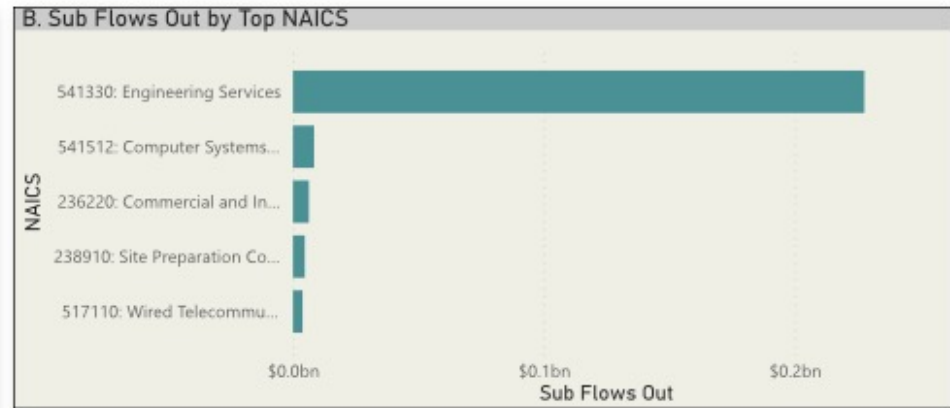
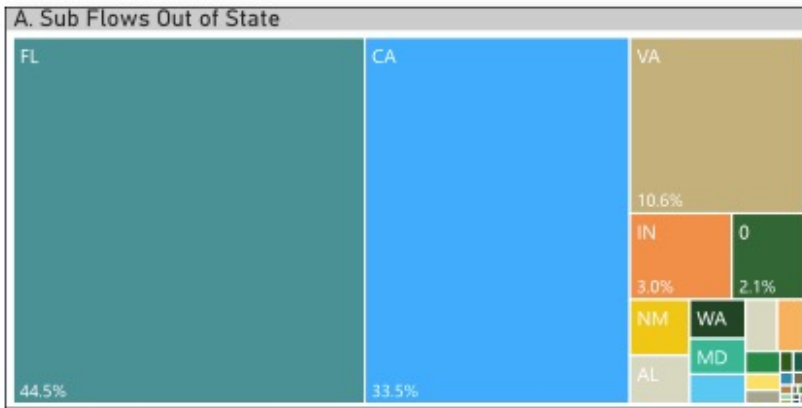


Why is the Task Force crucial right now?

- **Pacific Deterrence Initiative (PDI)**
 - \$5B in FY22
 - Estimated > \$25B by FY27
 - \$150M specifically allocated for “Experimentation, Exercises, and Innovation”
 - ~ \$40M across services for RDT&E
- **Dept of Defense historical average in Hawaii: \$3.5B in contract activities not including PDI**



What is at stake for Hawaii economy





Task Force Highlights

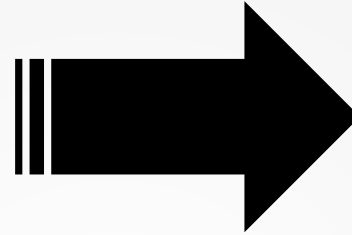
- **Mission:** Grow and strengthen the Defense and Dual Use sector in Hawaii. *Empower long-term economic resiliency.*
- **Objective:** Deliver a “shovel ready” plan to create a tangible, growth-enabling, shared asset for the Dual Use sector
 - Complementary yet minimally redundant with on-going initiatives
 - HTDC; UH OIC office; HDA
- **Role of the Task Force:**
 - Guide the activities of DBEDT and Pacific Impact Zone
 - Vote on key matters
 - Provide insights, connections, etc. as available



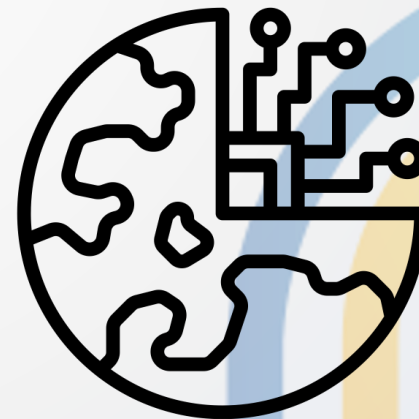
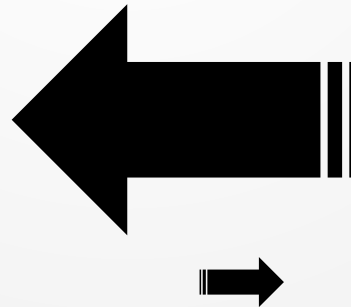


Dual Use defined

2005:



2021:





Our Vision: Dual use "Experimentation & Innovation" Hub



Dual Use community benefit:

Validate "product market fit" enabling continue/pivot/stop decision(s) to occur as soon as possible.

Especially challenging and crucial for "deep tech" that is often difficult due to:

- Long development cycles
- Difficult to visualize (e.g. a new AI algorithm, a new sensor, etc)
- Often market disruptive, so little comparable examples exist



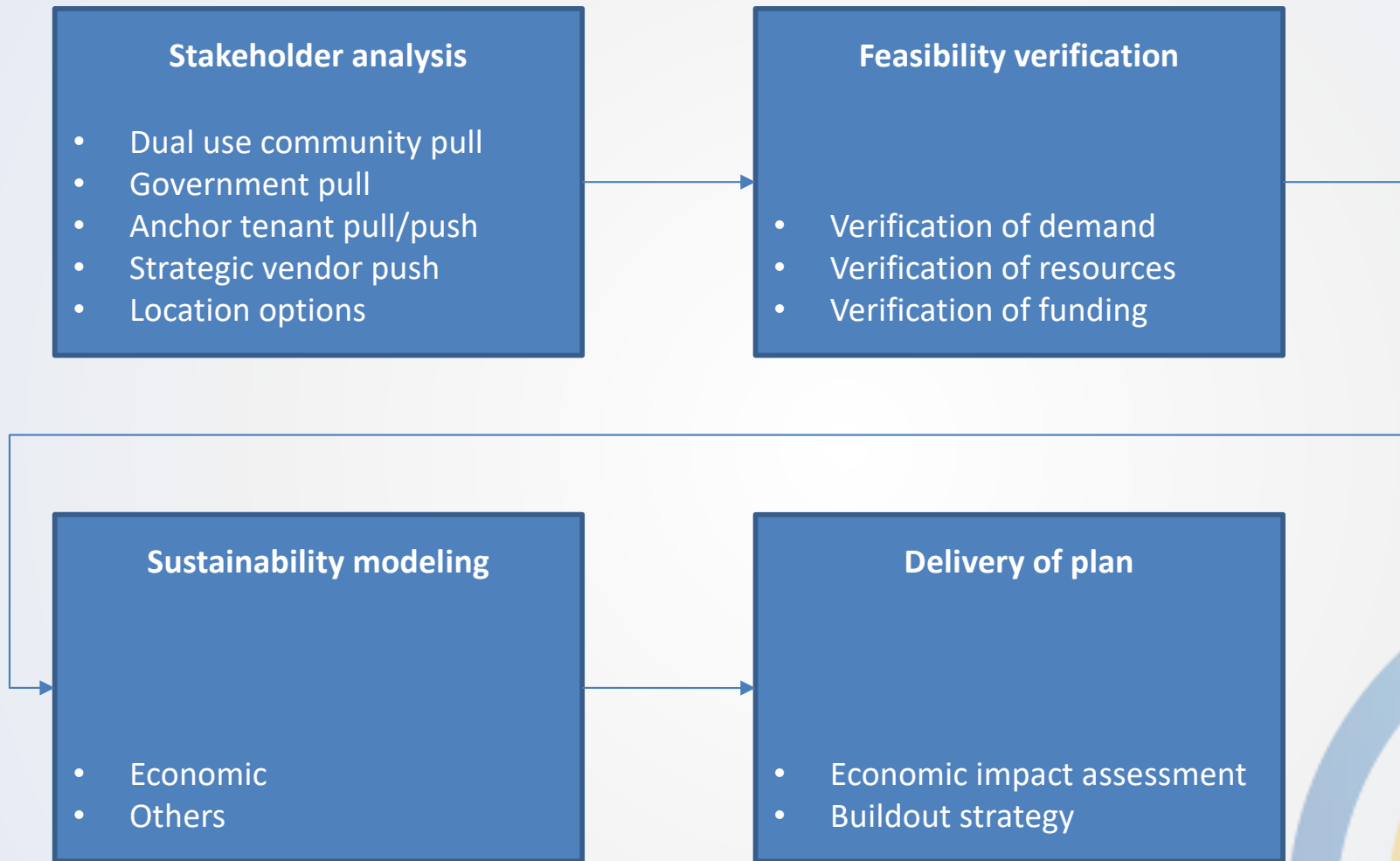
Initial concept(s):

- Off-post
- Unclassified activities only, including a section for non-ITAR restricted
- Co-locate key Government tenants, marquee dual use commercial tenants, and local dual use businesses
- Support for short duration, on demand, and visiting tenants





Task Force process methodology





Wrap-up

- **Next steps**
 - Total of 7 more Task Force meetings will be held approximately once per month
- **Recap of action items**
- **Closing comments?**

